

Table 11. Underground Natural Gas Storage – Salt Cavern Storage Fields, 2001-2006
(Volumes in Billion Cubic Feet)

Year and Month	Natural Gas in Underground Storage at End of Period			Change in Working Gas from Same Period Previous Year		Storage Activity		
	Base Gas	Working Gas	Total	Volume	Percent	Injections	Withdrawals	Net Withdrawals
2001 Total^a	--	--	--	--	--	341	294	-47
2002 Total^a	--	--	--	--	--	358	363	5
2003 Total^a	--	--	--	--	--	357	331	-26
2004								
January	76	92	168	36	63.71	25	58	33
February	76	67	143	29	77.83	26	51	25
March	75	78	153	20	35.20	32	21	-11
April	75	86	161	14	19.28	29	19	-10
May	76	95	170	8	8.68	28	19	-9
June	75	108	183	10	10.27	31	18	-13
July	74	115	189	17	17.04	30	24	-7
August	74	111	185	9	8.55	28	31	3
September	73	103	176	-20	-16.00	29	37	8
October	73	124	198	-6	-4.46	44	20	-23
November	72	127	199	2	1.55	19	18	-1
December	72	98	170	-27	-21.38	20	47	27
Total	--	--	--	--	--	341	364	23
2005								
January	72	80	152	-12	-13.20	25	43	18
February	72	87	159	21	30.77	28	21	-7
March	72	75	148	-2	-2.61	18	29	12
April	72	91	163	5	6.01	28	12	-15
May	71	100	171	5	5.68	28	19	-9
June	71	101	172	-7	-6.33	26	25	-1
July	71	92	163	-23	-19.96	27	36	9
August	72	83	155	-28	-24.89	25	32	8
September	73	87	159	-16	-15.99	43	38	-5
October	73	115	188	-9	-7.38	49	20	-29
November	75	135	210	8	6.36	43	21	-22
December	78	123	201	25	24.99	34	44	9
Total	--	--	--	--	--	375	342	-33
2006								
January	78	129	207	49	60.76	31	25	-6
February	81	98	179	11	12.05	15	46	31
March	80	98	177	22	29.20	26	28	1
2006 YTD	--	--	--	--	--	73	99	26
2005 YTD	--	--	--	--	--	72	94	22
2004 YTD	--	--	--	--	--	82	130	47

^a Total as of December 31.

-- Not applicable.

Notes: Data for 2001 through 2004 are final. All other data are preliminary unless otherwise noted. See Explanatory Note 6 for discussion of the reporting of underground storage information. Gas in storage at the end of a reporting period may not equal the quantity derived by adding or subtracting net injections or withdrawals during the period to the quantity of gas in storage at the beginning of the period. This is due to changes in the quantities of native gas included in base gas

and/or losses in base gas due to migration from storage reservoirs. Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Geographic coverage is the 50 States and the District of Columbia. Positive net withdrawals indicate the volume of withdrawals in excess of injections. Negative net withdrawals indicate the volume of injections in excess of withdrawals.

Sources: Form EIA-191, "Monthly Underground Gas Storage Report," and Form EIA-176, "Annual Report of Natural and Supplemental Gas Supply and Disposition."